

Coupon Sale At Pay-Less

The annual event is here. Tomorrow, Friday and Saturday, September 7, 8 and 9, Payless Drug Co., 1269 Sartori will be holding its once a year grand coupon sale.

Each coupon cut from this paper is the key to earn the saving of items offered at cost or below cost during this pre-inventary sale.

One coupon is necessary for each purchase for those wishing to take advantage of this grand sale event.

Baptist Bible College To Begin Sept. 11

The Baptist Bible College of Torrance is opening its doors for the eighth convening year, Sept. 11, announced Rev. Russ Killman of the First Baptist Church.

Classes will be held each Monday evening, 7:30 p. m. to 9:30 p. m., at the First Baptist Church of Torrance, 2118 Carson.

Purpose of this inter-denominational college "is to help the layman, who has no time for day classes, to work better in his own church," said Reverend Killman.

Harry Hillier, Rev. Robt. Coburn, and Rev. Russ Killman will instruct classes in Bible training, parliamentary procedure, etc., of this four year course.

About 30 students have registered thus far, with applications still coming in, according to Rev. Killman.

Harbor City PTA Names Chairmen

At a meeting of the Harbor City P-T-A board members held in the home of Mrs. William Tregharthen, preparations were made for fall activities.

Chairmen ratified include Mesdames Woodrow Bench, membership; M. E. Fuetta, co-membership; I. D. Bourland, record book; Carl Gregory, publicity; Richard Rozendal, men's membership; Marvin Scott, hospitality; Clarence Howry, parent education; Vernon D. Liffer, refreshment; John Kilpatrick, newsletters; Dean McIntire, room mother; E. F. Bushnell, juvenile protection and youth service; Harold Ball, safety; Violet Crawford, legislation; Earl Houston, program; Richard Rozendal, magazines and emblems; Fred Kröll, unit achievement, and ways and means.

I. J. Guggiana, art; Carl Gregory, Community Chest; Harold Limbacher, music; Earl Allman, publications, and O. C. Gribbs, Founders' day.

PTA Conference Held in Compton

The Three "R's" Conference given by the First District PTA was held August 31 at Compton Junior College.

Calling the meeting to order at 10 a. m. was Mrs. Lila H. Stevenson, president of the First District, C. C. P. T.

Four sectional meetings were held during the morning and afternoon.

Luncheon was held in the school's cafeteria at 12:30 p. m.

Torrance PTA members attending the event were Dr. Henrich Hull, Supt. of Schools; Walter Rehwald, Director of Instruction; Mrs. Grace Wright, and Al Jackson, school board members; R. C. Morton, principal of Torrance Elementary, and Earl Eckert, principal of Stadsie school.

Mrs. A. C. Turner and Mrs. A. B. Cowie represented Torrance Council PTA.

The purpose of these conferences is to discuss ways of making known to the lay people the current theories, practices and methods of teaching elementary school subjects.

Three "R's" Conference is sponsored jointly by the California Congress of Parents and Teachers, the California Teachers' Association, the California School Trustees' Association, and the State Department of Education.

Circle Mothers Hold Election

Officers will be elected at the De Molay Mother's Circle Sept. 19, 7:30, at the home of Mrs. R. L. Swigart, 1324 Acacia.

Future plans include a Grand Council meeting and luncheon Sept. 23 at 12:30 in the Wilmington Masonic Temple.

Oct. 9 the Circle has been invited to the Homemakers club radio broadcast in Los Angeles.

The main objective of this organization is to provide the needs of the De Molay boys. The mothers serve refreshments after each meeting. This Circle also helps to further the interests of the boys' mothers.

TORRANCE TOTS



—Photo by Dixie Lee Studio

FIRST ROW, left to right: Cheryl Bronder, 2 months, 922 Sartori; Doris, Dona, and Dick Brooks, 11 months and 3 1/2 years, 1001 B Sartori; Gary Baker, 2 1/2 years, 923 Sartori; Deharsh Jones, 15 weeks, 910 Portola. SECOND ROW, left to right: Linda Tomolson, 5 months, 811 Arthington; Tonya Silvester, 5 years, 912 Amalola; Carol and Tomie Giles, 3 and 6 1/2 years, 1027 Arlington; Keith Watkins, 9 months, 916 B Portola; Caroline C. Lark, 7 months, 1818 Schilling Court. THIRD ROW, left to right: Cary-

Lioness Club Holds Picnic

Sponsoring a potluck picnic at Torrance Park Tuesday night, Sept. 5, at 8:30, was the Lioness Club of Torrance. Attending were members of the Lioness and Lions clubs, their families and friends.

Preceding the pot-luck the Rotarians played the Lions in a challenged softball game. Lions George Kessler and Ray Rogers lined up the Lions team.

Mrs. Jean Olson was chairman of the evening affairs.

The Lioness will hold their next business meeting, 8 o'clock, Sept. 19.

Guardsmen Dance Attended By Four Hundred

A near-capacity crowd of four hundred people, representing all walks of life in Torrance, attended a dinner dance in honor of the activated National Guardsmen of this area last Saturday at the Bert S. Crossland American Legion post hall, Joseph Platt, committee chairman, announced in a report of the activity.

Colonel Downs, Major Gibbons, Captains John Ross and Gib and about 100 enlisted men from the 578th Engineer's Battalion were the honored guests of the evening.

In his resume of the party, Platt acknowledged the assistance and donations offered to the Post by the Torrance City Council, Materials, Greater Torrance Market, Quality Market, Roth's Market, Beverly Ann, Kiwanis, Lions, Rotary and Dan-Jill's Cafe. Robert Fernley and Lyle O'Hara were members of the post committee.

The dinner was prepared and served by Mrs. Annie Olson, president, and the women of the Legion Auxiliary. Merle Youngken, Ella Robinson, Allie West, Marrie Alwood, Fan Wilkes, Marie Williams, Dorothy Ross, Mary Toonies, Velora Murphy, Laura Dumons, Leo Cunningham, Roxie Sleeth, Phyrne Laughan, Daisy Watson, Alice Thompson, Betty Sherwin, May Howe, Olivia Lee, Bea Burchett, Cleora Stanger and Mary Hardy were the participating auxiliary members.

Eastburn To Be Guest Speaker

Executive secretary of the state property owners association, Glenn D. Eastburn, will be guest speaker Sept. 12 at a meeting of the Lomita Registered Voters and Property Owners Association. He will speak at the VFW hall in Lomita.

Functions of the state-wide organization and the advantages of coordinating the activities of property owners' groups will be explained by Mr. Eastburn.

Mrs. Victoria Phillips, president of the Lomita group, and Mrs. Malcolm Cameron, secretary, are in charge of the arrangements.

Property owners are seeking new members and the public is invited to attend the sessions Mrs. Phillips announced.

Women of Moose News Notes

The Moose Clubhouse was the scene of a card party held Sept. 6, at 8 o'clock by the Women of the Moose, Chapter 44, Torrance. Canasta, bridge, five hundred and many other card games were played.

Women of the Moose will hold their next meeting Sept. 13, 8:00 p. m. at the Moose Clubhouse, 1744 W. Carson, Senior Regent Mrs. Ionia Steele, will preside. All members are urged to attend.

Hazel Ott, publicity chairman, is back east on a business trip for her husband. Passing through Illinois she will visit Mrs. Irene Lewis and her two children at the Mooseheart Maternal Home in Mooseheart.

The husband of Mrs. Chapman, Jr. Regent, has been released from the hospital after suffering a serious eye injury. For a time it was feared Mr. Chapman

Chest Plans Made by Harbor PTAs

Community Chest workers of the Harbor area P-TA's will hold a school of instruction the second week in October at Narbonne High school. Chest drive aims and methods will be discussed.

Outline plans for P-TA "Schools of Information," to be held Sept. 19 at San Pedro First Methodist church and Sept. 26 at the Little Theater in Lomita, were made when the presidents and chairmen of the council gathered at Torrance park.

Mrs. G. W. Eversold was ratified by the council to serve as Community Chest chairman, Mrs. Don Wolf announced.

United Tent Revival To Begin September 10

Following several months of intensive planning, 30 Harbor area churches representing many denominations announce the opening of a united tent revival campaign. Conducted by Jack Shuler, it will begin Sunday afternoon September 10th at Vermont avenue and Pacific Coast Highway, Rev. John C. Derfelt, pastor of the Wilmington First Baptist Church, and president of the "Harbor Crusade for Christ" executive committee announced.

Cooperating churches from San Pedro, Wilmington, Torrance, Lomita, Waverly, Harbor City and other communities have undertaken what church leaders say is the most ambitious united revival program ever attempted in the Harbor community, with Christ for Greater Los Angeles officials assisting in organizational details, Derfelt said.

The huge circus tent which will seat 2500 will be erected on the vacant site adjacent to the northeast corner of Vermont and Pacific Coast Highway, and crusade officials say that off-street parking space will be available

Cooperation On Kettler Lights Asked

The Home Owners of Knolls Association Tract Four and Five wish to bring before the residents of this tract the following information:

The street lights (to be installed by the Edison Company) have been paid out to the extent of 45 per cent of the total amount necessary. It has been pointed out by the Home Owners Association that when the residents pay their share of \$15 it will be the first and last payment and the lights will be installed immediately.

If, on the other hand, full cooperation is not realized at the present time, the residents of Tract 4 and 5 will be forced to request the City to install the lights at the cost of \$150 per resident and will have to be paid out at \$15 a year for a period of ten years. On the other hand the cost will be \$15 now and nothing in the future.

113 Torrance Men

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Charles W. Hill, Sgt. Thomas M. Jones, Sgt. George A. Larson, Sgt. Lester E. Olmstead, Sgt. James S. Owen, Sgt. Robert I. Poulson, Sgt. Jesse J. Puckett, Sgt. Norman R. Stock, Sgt. Benton R. Whit.

Corporals — Milton E. Anderson, Leonard E. Barker, Stanley W. Curtis, Robert E. Durant, Rudy Q. Flores, Rodney A. Puckett, Robert Rhodes, Jimmie L. Turner, Ronald L. Ray, James R. Sweigert, David C. Williams.

Private 1st Class — Homer D. Armagost, David L. Baker, Bob J. Bisbee, John H. Bourgeault, Robert J. Bryan, William E. Hughes, Jack B. Rambo, Wilson B. Paxton, James E. Foxworthy, Glen D. Gibbons, Shelley F. Jones, George E. Sands, George S. Tyler.

Privates — Carl Armagost, George Chott, Kenneth Fagan, Oliver W. Hanson, William W. McOmie, Lawrence O. Michaelis, Elton R. Russell, Thomas G. Welsh.

Recruits — Robert H. Belhouse, Billy B. Bennett, Richard M. Chavez, Rex E. Elpper, Willard W. Dedman, Frank R. Fonseca, Robert H. Hunter, Jimmy D. King, Willard H. Munger, Mike J. Martinez, James E. McKeitt, Thor E. Myhre, Sunao Omatsu, Ralph Ornelas.

Recruits — Wallace C. Lewien, Dickie Valdex, Daniel Villa, An-

Missionary Program Sun. at Nazarene Church

A special missionary program will be featured at the Nazarene church, 1501 W. Carson, this coming Sunday evening, at 7:30.

Mrs. Eugenia Coats, a lifetime missionary to Guatemala, and her husband, will present two talented native young ladies from that country. They will furnish an interesting program of customs and scenes of their native land.

The Sunday morning services in the church will consist of a Sunday school session at 9:45 and a preaching service at 11 o'clock. The pastor will be in charge.

Legionnaire Speaks At Lions Meeting

Col. Joseph Chillington, special service officer of the American Legion, spoke at the Lion's Club meeting Sept. 5, 12:00 o'clock, at the Women's Club. His topic was "Legionnaires Insight on the Present Conflict."

The Legionnaire took time out from a full schedule of making arrangements for the Legion convention to be held soon in Los Angeles.

Don Moshos, program chairman for the month, made arrangements for the very forceful speaker.

Wife Commits Suicide After Shooting Mate

Alleged suicide and attempted murder tainted Torrance this week. Mrs. Roy S. Ashley, 49, of 1839 West 220th street, shot her husband twice in the early hours of last Saturday morning and died at 11:00 a. m. Saturday at the Harbor General hospital from an allegedly self-inflicted wound in the right temple.

In serious condition is Roy Ashley, 47, from two bullets he said his wife fired while he was sleeping, 4:30 a. m., Saturday. He is now in the Harbor General Hospital, where both were taken after the shooting.

WAKENED BY EXPLOSION

Ashley said that he was wakened from his sleep by the explosion of the bullet which tore into his right cheek, which missed his eye by a bare one and one-half inches, and emerged through his mouth. He saw Mrs. Ashley standing by his bed with a smoking .32 calibre revolver in her hand. He said that she then shot him in the right side.

Pulling himself toward the telephone in the living room, despite his open wounds, he saw his wife run into the unoccupied guest bedroom. He heard another shot, and through the open door saw his wife lying on the floor of the room.

MRS. ASHLEY UNCONSCIOUS

When Sgt. O. H. Ledbetter and D. W. Sweetnam of the San Pedro Police arrived, they found Mrs. Ashley unconscious, a bullet in her temple and the gun lying beside her.

Mr. Ashley told the police that it was the sound of the shots that awakened him. He did not realize that he was wounded until he felt the pain when phoning the police.

Mrs. Ashley had been despondent for some time due to illness, said Ashley. They had had minor spats recently, he said, and had argued before retiring that night.

HAD NEVER SEEN GUN

He said that he had never seen the gun allegedly wielded by his wife, and knew of no gun in the house. Police are attempting to determine where it came from.

The couple has one child, Roberty Arellanes, Frank X. Graham, Kenny L. Stevenson, Buford R. Hicks, Salvador C. Gonzales, Joseph D. Turner.

Members of the Medical Detachment of the 578th Battalion who left yesterday include: Capt. Louis C. Hamann, 2nd Lt. Arthur R. Kopp, Sgt. 1st c. Deporte J. Skidmore, Sgt. Frank A. Bigler, Sgt. Calvin E. Foster, Sgt. George Mercer, Cpl. Rafael P. Estolano, Cpl. James E. Haggard, Pfc. Gary L. Dawson, Pfc. Jack R. Garland, Pvt. Milton E. McNew, Pvt. Fred H. Noll, Rct. Charles R. Noles, and Rct. Bobby L. Tyler.

New Agent Of Farmers Insur. Group

New Torrance representative of the Farmer's Insurance Group corner of Madrid and Torrance Blvds. is William J. Garrity. He was transferred to manage the former office of Tweed Jolly, well known district representative September 1.

Garrity, two years with the Farmers Insurance Group, had an office in Ontario before his new Torrance appointment.

"I like Torrance very much, think it is a very progressive town and would like to be here as it grows," said Garrity. His recent purchase of a home on Acacia avenue in Torrance proves his sincerity.

As a captain in the Army Air Force in World War II, Garrity served almost three years in the China-Burma-India theatre, flying "the hump" over China.

Garrity and his wife, Kathryn have two children: Billy, 3 years, and Mardelle, 2 years.



Local Schools

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program is essential for it to be effective.

ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS

Any child who was 5 1/2 years of age on or before September 1, 1950, may enroll in the first grade of the elementary school. Elementary schools will include all eight grades for the first time this year. This will complete the transition from the previous Junior - Senior High combination to the accepted elementary and high school set up.

Also for the first time the homemaking and shop classes for upper elementary pupils will meet in the new units at Seaside and North Torrance. Pupils from the other schools will be transported by school buses to these classes.

HIGH SCHOOL

The high school has been enrolling new students for the past two weeks. New high school students are urged to complete their enrollment and preliminary counseling prior to the first day of school. This provides for adequate scheduling of classes and assures students the opportunity to get into the classes best suited to their needs.

Ninth grade teachers have already been meeting in daily sessions this past week cooperatively planning their program for the ten "basic skills" groups which are being inaugurated this year as a regular part of the high school curriculum.

ADULT EDUCATION

Adult classes will again be sponsored by the Board of Education this year. Schedules of these classes will be announced soon. Adult Education information may be procured by calling Torrance 645.

TRANSPORTATION

The district will continue to transport pupils from distant points to the schools in accordance with established board policy. Bus schedules were released on September 5.

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